Empire Livestock Auction - Cherry Creek, NY
Cattle and Calf Auction Report for Wednesday, March 20, 2019

Cattle  Calves
This Week:  133   123
Last Week:  127   109

Compared to last week, Slaughter Cattle not tested.
Slaughter Cows sold steady to 2.00 lower. Organic Slaughter Cows not tested. Slaughter Bulls not tested. See the Cherry Creek Replacement Cattle Report for monthly Dairy Heifer Special Sale. Demand was moderate. Slaughter cattle sold by the cwt, dairy cattle sold by the head.

Slaughter Cows:

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<th>Avg. Dressing</th>
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<td>Breakers</td>
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Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade 1 1228-1694 lbs Average Dress few 64.00-67.00; High Dress few 70.00-78.00.

Return to Farm Holstein Calves:

Compared to last week, Holstein Bull calves sold firm. Holstein Heifer calves sold steady on a light test. Dairy/Beef Crossbred Bull calves sold steady on a light test; Dairy/Beef Crossbred Heifer calves not tested. Demand was moderate. All calves sold by the cwt.

Holstein Bull Calves: Number 1 86-122 lbs 85.00-110.00; Number 2 80-110 lbs 60.00-80.00; Number 3 80-114 lbs 37.50-57.50; Utility 70-112 lbs 10.00-25.00.

Holstein Heifer Calves: Number 1 90-100 lbs few 52.50; Number 2 78-96 lbs few 20.00-30.00.

Dairy/Beef Crossbred Calves: Bulls 104-110 lbs few 150.00-175.00, 94-98 lbs few 210.00-215.00.

Price and grade information is reported by USDA - Cornell University Department of Animal Science. While market reports reflect the majority of Livestock sold at each sale, there are instances where animals do not fit reporting categories and are not included in this report.

Source: USDA - Cornell Dept Anim Sci, NYS Dept Ag & Mkts, Albany, NY
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          http://www.ams.usda.gov/mnreports/kt_ls155.txt